#### ESTIMATE BOARD STARTS IN

WILL SPEND NO MONEY WITH-QUI KNOWING THE NEED.

Commissioner Edwards Questioned About Fusion Members Most in Evidence -A Conference on Rapid Transit.

first meeting yesterday. The session was businesslike from beginning to end. Street Cleaning Commissioner Edwards tot his taste of the new board's methods when he made an application to be allewed to let his contracts for the removel of snow. The members of the poard had copies of the contract before hem and they wanted an explanation om Commissioner Edwards of several of the clauses. Mr. Edwards has framed his new snow removal contract on the area system; that is, the basis of payment to be the area cleared; but there is also a clause in the contract which would seem to give the Commissioner the power to order the contractor to do piling without removal, for which only a small payment would be made by the SMUGGLED ON HONEYMOON.

In reply to President Mitchel of the Board of Aldermen and President Mo-accept of Manhattan Mr. Edwards was mable to point to mable to point to any paragraph in the centract which would give authority to the Commissioner to insist upon the piling of snow instead of removal. The advantage of the piling clause would be to heap the snow in side streets until after main thoroughfares were cleared. Edwards was plainly embarrassed the questioning of Mr. Mitchel and McAneny and in an effort to break away from the examination he drew attention to the fact that there was an mperative need for the awarding of a stract and added with some animation of tone that the recent snowsterm had already cost the city between \$500,000 and \$600,000. "How much did the snow removal cost

st year?" Mr. McAneny asked. "About \$760,000."
"How much the year before that?"

"Between \$500,000 and \$600,000," Comer Edwards replied. "And what was the cost the year befor that?" persisted Mr. McAneny "About \$2,500,000," said Mr. Edwards.

That was the year under which paypebts were made under the area system, man't it?" asked Mr. McAneny. "It was," said Mr. Edwards, "but that was under the old area system. I am proposing a new area system. Furthermore the year to which you are referring

the snowfall was fifty-seven inches, while last year it was only sixteen inches." Mr. Edwards failed to convince the board and Mr. Mitchel moved that the matter be referred to a committee of two with power to draft a new contract and

to report back at next week's meeting of the board. Mr. Mitchel and Mr. McAneny were appointed. This was a sample of the attitude taken by the new board on all matters which came before them yesterday. In its pro-ceedings the new board was also dignified and so painstaking that the clerk was instructed to read in full every item on the calendar. Fortunately the calendar was a short one. If the same procedure is followed in a few weeks from now the board will have to sit two and three days a week in order to get through its busi a week in order to get through its busi-ness. During the McClellan administra-tion the clerk would read the first few-words of an item and would then be

words of an item and would then be stopped by the calling for the vote.
Mayor Gaynor's calls for votes were made in so low a tone that he was heard only by those near him. The difference between presiding over a court and such a body as the Board of Estimate seemed to confuse him and it was frequently necessary for Clerk Haag to coach him as to the conduct of the meeting.

The fusion members dominated yesterday's meeting of the board. All the resolutions introduced were presented by the fusionists, and in the discussion the leading part was taken by Mr. Mitchel, Mr. McAneny and others of the fusion

the leading part was taken by Mr. Mitchel, Mr. McAneny and others of the fusion members. President Steers of Brooklyn, for instance, had a resolution passed providing for the appointment of a committee to draft rules and regulations for the future government of the board. Then Mr. McAneny presented a resolution, which after referring to the narrow margin of the present borrowing canacity. margin of the present borrowing capacity of the city went on to provide that all the heads of departments should before February 15 submit a complete estimate of the cost of all the improvements and other expenditures contemplated by this year.

Mr. McAneny also introduced a resolu-tion directing that no further liabilities incurred under pending contracts departmental heads unless author-by the board. This means that all the work now going on would be prac-tically tied up should the board pass favorably on the resolution. President Mitchel of the Board of Alder-

men submitted a resolution calling for the appointment of a committee to con-fer with the Public Service Commission on the subject of rapid transit develop-ments. One of the paragraphs of this resolution read:

That this committee report to this board on or before its first meeting in the month the consideration of this board for the prompt relief of existing transportation conditions and for the adequate provision of additional transit facilities, with recommendations concerning the methods of built, whether by the issue of corporate stock, the levying of assessment upon property benefited, or by granting a fran-

A committee on salaries and grades to pass on the amount of wages paid to city employees with a view to making them more uniform was provided for in a resolution introduced by Comptroller Prendergast. The Comptroller also presented a resolution asking the board to provide some method for the standardization of purchases of supplies and of the specifications in the contracts made for such supplies.

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r. Mitchel Introduced a resolution Mr. Mitchel Introduced a resolution calling for the appointment of a commission which should be directed "to report to this board on or before May 1 recommendations with respect to and revision or adjustment of the schedules of salaries for the payment of teachers of the Department of Education which, it may deem proper, desirable or equitable." All these resolutions, as were several relating to appropriations for public improvements which were not acted on by the last board, were placed on the calendar and will come up for consideration next week.

DUMONT CLARKE'S WILL

Divides His Estate Equally Among His Six Children. HACKENSACK, N.J., Jan. 7. - The will of

the late Dumont Clarke, the New York banker, was probated to-day. Codicile were added to the original will after the death of his wife, Cornelia E. Clark, in 1902.

While there is nothing in the will to indicate the value of the estate it is believed to amount to \$1,500,000 or \$2,000,000.

The estate is divided equally among the six children—Lewis L. Clarke, E. Stanley Clarke, Dumont Clarke, Jr., Miss Corinne T. Clarke, Mrs. Mary Clarke Case and Mrs. Alice Clarke Bedfield. The executors are Lewis L. Clarke, George Bowen Case, husband of Mrs. Mary C. Case, and Samuel E. Kliner.

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The Clarke home is at Dumont, which was named for the banker. Mr. Clarke was Mayor of the berough for two or the times.

### THEFIFTHAVENUE

of The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, 475 FIFTH AVENUE, near 41st Street.

Interest allowed on Deposit Accounts.

Acts as custodian of personal property and manager of real property.

Letters of Credit. Foreign Money and Travelers' Checks. Vault Boxes for Customers' use.

Italian Bride Had 8500 Worth of Watches

and Bracelets Sewn in Her Skirts. Giuseppe Gonnaro, a fruit dealer of Milwaukee, left his business fourteen months ago to woo a young woman in Italy whom he had known in childhood, She was coy and did not consent to marry until three months ago. They arrived from Naples on Thursday by the Austro-American steamship Alice and might have gone on their way after the usual happy manner of the newly wedded if the bride had not neglected to throw away the little boxes that had contained lot of jewelry given to her by the bride

groom and bought in Italy.
Inspector John K. Collins found the boxes and asked for their former con-The bridegroom he understand little English. The inspector searched him and found no jewelry. A woman inspector started to search the bride when she confessed that she had about chains sewed up in her skirts. ripped open the skirts and gave the smuggled stuff to the inspectress. The oridegroom and bride, the latter tearful, were taken before Deputy Surveyor George J. Smythe, who after examining them sent them before United States Commissioner Benedict, who held in bail for examination to-day. It is likely that they will forfeit their jewelry and pay a fine to the Government.

SUGAR MEN IN COURT TO-DAY To Hear Motion for New Trial-No

Oliver Spitzer, the convicted super sugar refinery of Havemeyers & Elder and Edward Boyle, John Coyle, Patrick Hennesey and Thomas Kehoe, the convicted weighers. will appear to-day before Judge Martin of the United States Circuit Court, when a motion for a new trial will be made by their attorneys.

Should the motion be denied the Government will ask that the men be sentence immediately to the limit of the law-for years and a fine of \$10,000 each.

Counsel for the convicted men said yesterday afternoon that if any of the higher up they had heard nothing of it.

It was rumored yesterday that the National and the Federal Sugar Refining companies will oppose the payment of the amounts alleged to be due the Government from them for short weights. The amount said to be due from the National is \$700,000 and from the Federal about

## MRS. GOULD'S ESTATE IN COURT.

Attorneys for George J. Gould filed of a suit for the partition of the estate of the late Helen D. Gould, his mother, comprised in properties at 36 East Seventyeighth street, 67 and 69 East Fifty-ninth street and 5 and 7 Walker street. Those amed as parties to the suit and technica defendants are Edwin Gould and Sarah C. Gould, his wife; Helen Miller Gould, Howard Gould and Kathrine Clemmon Gould, his wife; Frank J. Gould, the Princess de Sagan, Edith K. Gould, wife of George J. Gould, and Charles B. Samuel

of George J. Gould, and Charles B. Samuel Samuels, to whom was assigned a judgment for \$10.296.23, obtained against Anna Gould by Eugene Fishoff.

Mrs. Helen D. Gould died on January 13, 1889, and in her will, which was probated on February 2, 1889, she left her property in equal shares to her surviving children. Each of the beneficiaries will be entitled to one-sixth of the estate after the claims of Samuels and Edwin Gould, who lent money to the present Princese de Sagan when she was the Countees de Castellane, have been satisfied.

fied.

The debt to Edwin Gould was incurred by Anna Gould, then the Countess de Castellane, on February 10, 1900, and February 2, 1901, on which dates Edwin Gould loaned to the Countess, and to her husband, Count Boni de Castellane, \$15,000 and \$10,000 at 5 per cent. As security Edwin Gould secured a lien on Anna Gould's share of the estate. Payments to Edwin Gould have since been made from Anna Gould's share of the income of the estate, but there remains \$15,990.73 owing.

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No estimate of the value of the estate is given in the papers filed with the clerk. The Weather.

Jan. 8.—The storm from the Gulf travelled rapidly northeastward and was off the southern New England coast yesterday morning, attended by rain along the entire coast anow in the upper Tennessee Valley, in the interior of New York and New England and throughout the lake

comparatively low. A high pressure over the Guif States covered

all the interior of the country and brough t lowe temperatures into all sections east of the Mis It was warmer on the middle Atlantic coast

in the morning, but became colder during the day. Freezing weather covered all the country except the Pacific States, eastern parts of the It was below zero in the upper Mississipp Valley and upper lakes.

Warmer weather prevailed in nearly all secons west of the Mississippi River. In this city there was light rain in the slightly warmer, clearing and colder in the after noon; wind, high northwest; average humidity so per cent.; barometer, corrected to read to 39 per cent.; barometer, corrected to read to sea level, at 8 A. M., 29.74; 3. P. M., 29.97.

The temperature yesterday, as recorded by the official thermometer, is shown in the annexed table:

to-day and to-morrow; rising temperature to-morrow; moderate west and northwest winds. For the District of Columbia, eastern Pennsylvania. New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, fair to-day and to-morrow; rising temperature to-morrow; moderate northwest and north winds. For western New York, snow flurries to-day and probably to-merrow; warmer to-morrow.

SUGGESTS SOME TAMMANY MEN FOR CITY PLACES.

There's Hope for Some of Them, but No for Any High Places-Goodwin Gets a Deputyship—F. C. Jones and R. T. H. Halsey on the Municipal Art Board.

Charles F. Murphy called on Mayor Gaynor again yesterday. He dropped in at the City Hall on his way to Atlantic City, where he will spend the week end. Mr. Murphy was with the Mayor for more than half an hour, but when he left he would only say that he had called to pay his respects.

Mr. Murphy's real purpose in waiting on the Mayor was, as in the case of his visit on Tuesday, to plead for places for Tammany men. It can be stated authoritatively that Mr. Murphy recommended several men to the consideration of Mr. Gaynor, and expressed the hope that the Mayor would be able to find places for some of them. Mayor Gaynor may find obs for some of them, but the outlook s that none of the places will be higher

than deputyships.
Tammany landed one job yesterday. Frank J. Goodwin, the Tammany leader of the Seventh Assembly district, was named Deputy Commissioner of Charities at a salary of \$5,000 a year. The announcement of Mr. Goodwin's appointment was made before Mr. Murphy reached the City Hall. Mayor Gaynor's first choice was John W. Keller, but he withdrew when it became known that Michael J. Drummond, the new Commissloner of Charities, desired the place for

It was after a conference yesterday morning with the Mayor that Mr. Drummond made known the selection of Mr. Goodwin. "Mr. Goodwin's appointment." mond made known the selection of Mr. Goodwin. "Mr. Goodwin's appointment," he said, "is wholly personal and not a political one. The fact that he is a district Tammany leader had nothing to do with it. He would have been appointed just the same had he been a leader in the Republican or any other party. I have known him for many years and he has my entire confidence. He will be of the greatest assistance to me in the management of a difficult department which has no political complexion and should not have any."

have any.

Mayor Gaynor will announce this morning the makeup of his new Tax Board. They will be sworn in immediately in order that they may begin work on Monday when the tax books will be opened. The Mayor may also announce to-morrow night the remainder of his slate.

Mr. Gaynor appointed the following as members of the Art Commission:

Francis C. Jones, figure painter, 33 West Sixty-seventh street, Manhattan, to succeed Frank D. Millet; R. T. H. Halsey, broker, 64 West Fifty-fifth street. Manhattan, to succeed John B. Pine.

AQUEDUCT PLAN DELAYED.

Prendergast Gets Estimate Board to Reconsider Acts.

Comptroller Prendergast at yesterday's meeting of the Board of Estimate introduced a resolution asking for a reconsideration of the authorization in the last days of the McClellan administration for the building of an aqueduct in the city for the better distribution of the water supply which is to be brought from the Catskills. In addition Mr. Prendergast also presented a resolution asking the State Board of Water Supply to defer action on the plan approved of by the old Board of Estimate for the extension of the system to Suffolk county. Mr. Prendergast asked the board to

act on his resolutions immediately for the reason that the State board would meet in this city next Wednesday to consider the plans of the old board. Mr. Prendergast's resolutions were adopted

unanimously. This means that the State board will not take final action on the McClellan plans until the present Board of Estimate has had time to consider them. The step taken yesterday by the board is not intended by Mayor Gaynor and the other members of that board to imply that there is a likelihood that the McClel-lan plans will be thrown down. Mr. Gaynor and his colleagues want, before spending the many millions of dollars that the schemes would cost, to look into

that the schemes would cost, to look into the question of their necessity.

As most of the contracts for the Catskill project proper have been let the present administration has no power to undo them, but as the money for the additional schemes has not been appropriated the new board can negative those propositions if it should see fit. Both Mr. Gaynor and Mr. Prendergast said yesterday that all that the resolutions almed at was to provide opportunity for a fuller investigation of the new plans and to ascertain if there was any imperative need for the eity to undertake them at this time.

BACK TO HEADQUARTERS. Comptroller Prednergast Returns Another Policeman to Baker.

Comptroller Prendergast returned to Police Headquarters yesterday another patrolman who had been doing "messenger service" in his office. The policeman is William Powers, who was assigned to the

William Powers, who was assigned to the bureau of taxes.

Commissioner Baker said he was much pleased to get his men back. He sent a letter to the Comptroller and told him that their views on the subject coincided exactly. "There are still left in your office one sergeant and nineteen patrolmen," the Commissioner wrote. "If you would send them back I would esteem it a great favor as it would establish a precedent which will enable me to get back a large number of men assigned to various city departments in the past."

Commissioner Baker said there were more than 300 policemen assigned to more than 300 policemen assigned to duty in other departments than the police and that their pay, about \$450,000, came out of the police budget. Of the (9) or more 198 are in the minor courts.

WARD, O'BRIEN OR ALLEN All One, and He Is Going to Sing Sing for

The convicted burglar who is known variously as John Ward. John O'Brien and Jack Allen was sent to the Tombs yesterday by Judge O'Sullivan in General

yesterday by Judge U'Sullivan in General Sessions to await transfer to Sing Sing. He was arrested last Thursday night by Lieut. Peabody, who found him in a house at 108th street and Columbus avenue. Ward was arrested in September, 1907, and convicted before Judge Crain in General Sessions on the charge of carrying burglar's tools and concealed weapons Last week his appeal was decided against him, he jumped his bail and his arrest followed.

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#### Cold, Hungry, Sick

\$5 can feed a mother and four hungry children one week.
\$10 can pay the rent for a family about to be evicted.
\$25 Gives a warm dress or suit to

gives half a ton of coal to 30 families—warmth and cheer for 8 weeks.

You may specify, and, if desired, we will gladly write just how your gift is used.
Please send just what you can NOW.

MURPHY SEES GAYNOR AGAIN DEAD IN THE TUNNEL HE DUG AUTO INTO TROLLEY, HEAD ON

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there would have been a cavein that would have reburied the body and made work for another day or two. So they limbed out of the shaft and set to work tearing up the street for a third pit. They had to drill holes in the four inch asphalt covering, pry loose great chunks of asphalt until a space ten feet square was uncovered to the close packed earth, attack that with pickaxes until the loose sand was reached and then shovel. From the second floor of the tenement at 53 Finkelstein's wife and children looked out of the windows now and then trying to see what was going on down under the whirling flare light. People in the street pointed them out stretching hands toward the faces at the windows. They did not seem to mind, but continued

to watch impassively.

It was 11:45 o'clock last night when the body was freed from the grip of sand and lifted to the street. Coroner Winterbottom had given permission in the afternoon for it to be taken to Mrs. Finkelstein's home.

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The man was lying on his right side with one arm thrown over his face. By his side were a plasterer's scoop, a trowel

his side were a plasteror's scoop, a trowel and a screwdriver.

Finkelstein's body was not where it was expected to be. His tunnel after reaching a point about under the middle of the street turned southward and deviated from the line it is supposed he laid out toward the rear of F. Zirinsky's jewelry store at the southeast corner of Grand and Ludlow. That is the reason the laborers missed finding it when they sank the first shaft. Finkelstein, toiling eleven feet under the surface of the street, lighted by a candle only, had lost his bearings. It's a mighty easy thing to do, as an engineer of the city's force pointed out last night when he looked at the tunnel. It may have been that the man thought he was working steadily east by north when really or that the man thought he was working steadily east by north when really after he had progressed about twenty feet he lost his sense of direction and dug east by south. There was a difference of about thirty degrees between the original line of the tunnel and the tangent that Finkelstein had started toward the

would have struck the cellar wall of Har-ris Sakolsky's furniture store at 58 Lud-low, across the street but a little to the north of 55, the new building from which north of \$5. the new building from which he began to burrow, an easy diagonal.

The rear of Zirinsky's store, with its stock of \$60,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry (according to Zirinsky), is separated from the furniture store only by a thin partition of wood. Any one entering the cellar of the furniture store would have found it easy to get to the shop floor and cut through the partition to the back room of the jewelry shop, where Zirinsky keeps his safes. Or, which would have been even easier, a burglar could have gone to the second floor of the furniture shop, which overtops the Zirinsky establishment, cut through the ceiling and dropped down among Zirinsky's wares.

establishment, out through the ceiling and dropped down among Zirinsky's wares. Finkelstein's scheme was entirely practicable, as the detectives and others noted yesterday. Nobody minded his goings and comings because he lived at 53 and 55 was unoccupied. He could have moled indefinitely if he had taken more pains with this shorings or studied up on the tricks of engineering. Certainly he started right and was headed in the right direction, but something deflected him from his course.

Nobody believed seriously that the man was tunnelling toward the cellar of the East Side branch of the Fourteenth Street Bank. He would have had to claw out a hole 150 feet long and then he would have faced a five foot concrete wall. The Zirinsky store was a much easier target. Moreover, the police got the idea yesterday that Finkelstein may not have planned the job. It was entirely possible that the painter was hired by professional crooks to perform work which none save himself could do without attracting suspicion. The lodging houses along the Bowery shelter at this time of year scores of yeggmen who hate the cold and hibernate in close rooms until spring sends them gayly on the road, cracking the cribs of country towns. The yeggs don't take chances at breaking into New York banks. They know what they are up against, but their shrewdest plans are laid to rob jewelry stores. Had't Finkelstein got to the wall of the furniture store cellar the rest would have been easy for a professional safe cracker.

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He had a first rate reputation among his own people. His neighbors in Ludlow street said yesterday that the painter was so orthodox in the Hebrew religious

street said yesterday that the painter was so orthodox in the Hebrew religious practices that he never went out on Saturday nights save to go to synagogue. The furniture man across the way, Sakolsky, often saw him at the window of his flat, reading. His wife insisted that he was very religious.

"He was a good man," she said. "I don't know how he came to be in the tunnel, but he was a good man, a very religious man. He was never away from me at nights and he did not drink or gamble. It is not true that I said he told me he was making a tunnel to rob the jewelry store. How should I know about the tunnel? Would he have told me? It was not until my brother Isidor Garbus heard groans from the hole in the wall when he went into the cellar Wednesday night to look for Isaac that I knew there was a tunnel."

It was while Mrs. Finkelstein was talking and they were still digging for the body of her husband that another Finkelstein wandered into Ludlow street. A friend hailed him:

"Hello, Ikey Finkelstein!"

And there was a scurrying of the crowd to get near. The police shoved and pushed and one of the guardsmen grabbed lkey Finkelstein and wanted to know. He said he was Isaac Finkelstein of Pike street, but it required the evidence of Mrs. Isaac Finkelstein of 53 Ludlow street

He said he was Isaac Finkelstein of Pike street, but it required the evidence of Mrs. Isaac Finkelstein of 53 Ludlow street to prove that he was not the man a great many men were trying to find.

Isidor Garbus, brother-in-law of the tunnel digger, who was arrested on Thursday morning on the suspicion that he might know something about Finkelstein's plans, was let go by Magistrate Breen in the Essex Market court yesterday morning. Garbus was scared and nervous. He repeated the story he had told the police, that when he went into the cellar at Mrs. Finkelstein's request he heard groans coming from a hole in the wall. It frightened him and he told the police next morning.

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The Building Department will try to find out to-day how far Finklestein had driven his tunnel. His body was found about thirty feet from the entrance and he may have pushed it a greater distance, but the cavein which killed him was so complete that the laborers were unable to tell last night.

What puzzled Reville and Building Inspector Dwyer, as well as the police and other persons, was what Finkelstein did with the immense quantity of earth that he slowly and laboriously removed from the tunnel. In digging for his body yesterday and last night the laborers raised three great heaps of dirt, each of

raised three great heaps of dirt, each of which was eight or ten keet high, and they didn't do a fifth of the work that Finkelstein did in making the tunnel.

Candidates for Census Enumerators May File Applications Up to Feb. 1.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Census Director Durland has decided to extend the time in which persons desiring places as census enumerators may file their applications on blanks furnished by the census supervisors. The original date was January 25, but the decision to-day will permit the supervisors to consider all applications received up to and including January 31. The "test" of applicants will be made on February 5, as previously announced.

For a \$600,000 Building in The Bronx. WASHINGTON, Jan. 7 .- A bill was in-Please send just what you can Now.

R. S. MINTURN. Treas. Room 211. No. 105 E.

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25. FULTON CUTTING, President.

CHAUFFEUR WAS USING THE AUTO WITHOUT PERMISSION.

Scaback Was Taking His Friends Through 86th Street Cut When Accident Happened-Four Persons Cut With Glass

Benjemin H. Kaufman's chauffeur chanced upon some friends last night when he was on his way to get Mr. Kaufnan and take him to the opera. He had just time enough to take the friends somewhere before he was due to meet Mr. Kaufman. So he asked them to get into Mr. Kaufman's French limousine. They consented, and off they went. Soon after they brought up against a troller

The chauffeur is Nelson Seabeck of 225 South Broadway, Yonkers. He has worked only two or three days for Mr. Kaufman, who is a maker of hats and lives at the Kenilworth, Central Park West and Seventy-fifth street. He ordered Seabeck to be on hand at 7:45 last night so that he and his family would get to the Metropolitan Opera House in plenty of time.

Seabeck started from the garage little ahead of time. On a crossing he happened to see his friends, the three Bjurstroms, who have a dressmaking establishment at 2650 Broadway. There were Iver Bjurstrom, his wife, Hilda. and his sister Edith. They said they were on the way to see some friends on the East Side and would be glad of a lift. They climbed in and Seabeck started through Eighty-sixth street.

When Seabeck entered the transverse roadway which cuts through Central Park at Eighty-sixth street he found himself behind a crosstown trolley ear He crowded the car closely, but it rattled along through the park at a lively rate The motorman slowed up when he approached the curve under the East Drive

bridge.
Seabeck had to pull over on the west-bound track in order to avoid a rear end smash. He ran plump into a trolley oar smash. He ran plump into a trolley car coming in the opposite direction.

The motorman was George Rosini of 1668 Park avenue. He did his best to bring his car to a stop, but he couldn't. The glass in the vestibule and the nearest windows of the car was shattered

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The wind shield and the windows of the automobile broke into splinters and went flying over Seabeck and his three passengers. They were pretty badly cut about the face and hands, Seabeck the least of all. Patrick Touhey of 219 East Eightyninth street, who was riding in the car, received a charge of splintered glass in the face. He and the three Bjurstroms had to be taken to the Presbyterian Hospital in an ambulance.

Seabeck was attended to by the ambulance surgeon. Nobody was agriculty

Seabeck was attended to by the ambulance surgeon. Nobody was seriously hurt. The automobile was wrecked.

Policeman Baptist arrested Rosini and took him to the arsenal. The charge against him was assault. Baptist took Seabeck to the station also. He told Capt. Farrell that he had been using the car without permission, and the captain looked him up. He sent a man over to the Kenilworth to learn if Mr. Kaufman wanted to charge Seabeck with grand larceny.

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AUTO UPSET DODGING WOMEN

Driver of Hacking Car Meets Hurt, Avoid, ing Worse Accident. Max Eller of 1639 Parker street, Westchester, who owns a limousine automobile that he runs for hire, came to grief last night on Amsterdam avenue. Eller was going uptown at a lively pace when two going uptown at a lively pace when two women started to cross the avenue at Eighty-sixth street. Eller turned to avoid hitting them and one of his front tires caught in the trolley tracks. The machine was overturned. Eller fell on his head and the single passenger was thrown out. Eller was badly cut, but the passenger escaped injury and left at once. Among the wreckage of the automobile car was found a pocketbook containing cards on which were printed Thomas R. Gallagher, 271 West 113th street.

Held for Manslaughter in Connection With Tunnel Shaft Accident.

Hugh Patterson, an electrical engineer was held for the Grand Jury by Police Judge Farmer in the First Criminal Court, Jersey City, yesterday on two court, Jersey City, yesterday on two charges of manslaughter in connection with the deaths of Irving P. Lovejoy, the Manhattan real estate broker, and August Flocker of Jersey City, who were killed in a passenger elevator in the Exchange place shaft of the Hudson tunnel station under the Pennsylvania Railroad depot on January 1. Three witnesses testified that they saw no guard in the corridor to warn folks not to use the elevator.

In Memory of Senator McCarren.

Plans for the memorial meeting in nonor of the late Senator McCarren to be held next Tuesday evening at the kings County Democratic Club under the direction of the Kings county committee have been completed. Col. James D. Bell will preside and the speakers will be Congressman Henry D. Clayton of Alabama, the Democratic leader in the House of Representatives; former Justice D.-Cady Herrick, Justice Almet F. Jenks and Senator Thomas F. Grady. Music will be furnished by the Elks' double quartet.

Marrying Justice Laid Up.

Justice of the Peace George C. L. Maes of 21 Jefferson avenue. Jersey City, fell on an ioy sidewalk at Prospect street and Linaeu place, that city, last night and fractured his left hip. He was taken home. Mase is well known as Hudson county's marrying justice. He has often presided as an acting police judge in the Second Criminal Court.

The Public Service Commission granted permission yesterday to the New York and Queens County Railway Company to extend its line over Queensboro Bridge. The extension begins in Jackson avenue at a point opposite the plaza of the bridge and continues across the bridge to a terminus at the Manhattan end.

Capsi zed Milk Wagon Kills Driver. HACKENSACK, N. J., Jan. 7.—George Van Allen, a driver for the Borden Milk Company, was killed early this morning while on his route in Hissbrouck Heights. The wagon turned over on its side after skidding on the icy road and pinned the driver to the ground. Van Allen was 22 years old. He leaves a widow.

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MINISTER'S POLL AND DOG TAX. Fordham Alumni to Celebrate With Farley. Borough Attorney Had Said He Must.

Rev. Herbert Brown, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Ramsey, was preaching his farewell sermon last Sunday before

ing his farewell sermon last Sunday before going to take a new pastorate at Ridgewood, Charles E. May, the tax collector, sat in a pew. After the service the tax collector told the minister that he must pay his poll tax and his dog tax. The minister did not pay.

The town marshal went to the parsonage on the following day with a warrant for the minister's arrest. The pastor, accompanied by two deacons of the church, appeared before the borough council and said that it was well known by every tax collector that a minister of the gospel is exempt from paying a poll tax. "As to the dog tax," he said, "it was an outrage to ask a man to pay a tax of 50 cents on a two-year-old pup. A pup should not be taxed until it arrives at the age of a dog."

dog."
The councilmen called upon the borough attorney, Edgar De Voe, for an opinion.
"The law exempts only idiots and lunatics," the attorney said, "and as for the dog tax, the law makes no distinction between two-year-old pups and dogs."
The clergyman paid the tax bill.

Neck Broken by Falling Tree aged 40, a farmer on the Leaven Dickerson farm near here, was instantly killed this afternoon. A tree he was felling struck him, breaking his neck. A wife and four small children survive him.

The fortieth anniversary of the ordination to the priesthood of Archbishop Farley will be celebrated at the annual PATERSON, N. J., Jan. 7.—While the dinner of the Fordham University Al Association at Delmonico's on Janu ary 20. Among those who have pre to attend are Bishops McDonnell at Mundelein of Brooklyn, Bishop Cusa of New York, Mgr. J. F. Mooney, I James Nicholas Butler, Francis O'Ne Justices Brady and Hendrick, J. Fa fax McLaughlin, George B. Hayes, Mcgan J. O'Brien, Judge Charles W. Si nott, Drs. J. J. Walsh and John Aspand C. A. S. Hatfield.

J. D. Crimmins Gives an Altar to St. Patrick's.

John D. Crimmins has caused to be erected in the Lady Chapel of St. Patrick's Cathedral an altar to Saint Elizabeth, in memory of his wife, Lily Louise Lalor, who died in 1888. The altar will be consecrated by Archbishop Farley next Monday morning at 9 o'clock. It is of Gothic design with high pinnacles and is made of white marble.

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